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Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

It is requested that the time for filing the following documents, now set to expire on Feb. 20, 2002 be extended for the time period indicated below, to expire on arch 20, 2002.

| (X) | Response to Office Action |
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| ŽΪ | Brief on Appeal or Reply Brief |
| () | A Verified Statement Under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 |
| () | is enclosed |
| () | is of record in this application |

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Respectfully submitted,

Reg. No. 25,721

Date: March 20, 2002